

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Establishment - A.P. Bhavan, New Delhi - Setting up of "External Engagement Division" at A.P. Bhavan, New Delhi to follow up and translation of proposals to concrete investment and outcomes - Orders - Issued.

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In view of the anticipated investment from various quarters in national and international sectors, it has been decided to devise suitable Mechanism to track the investment proposals and institutionalise the process at the various levels. The Foreign Secretary, Government of India has also advised the State Government to appoint a nodal officer for International Cooperation to coordinate with Joint Secretary (States) in the Ministry of External Affairs and the Indians Missions abroad to maximize the benefits that accrue to the states through MEA's activities.

Accordingly, the Government here by set up an "External Engagement Division" at A.P. Bhavan, New Delhi headed by Special Commissioner, A.P. Bhavan, New Delhi to undertake the following activities:

- (a) Coordinate with Joint Secretary (States), MEA, and Indian Missions abroad to maximize the benefits that accrue to the state through MEA's activities and take follow up action with respect to MoUs/agreements signed by Government of India
- (b) Follow up all investment proposals received during the Hon'ble Chief Minister's visits abroad as well as the meetings of Foreign Missions and International Investors with the State Government
- (c) Promote the State for Industrial and Infrastructural Investments through the regional offices of International companies or the headquarters of national companies
- (d) Coordinate foreign visits for the Government for Investment Road shows as well as capacity building
- (e) Organize meetings between the Government and Foreign Missions as well as Investors

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- (f) Identification of best practices amongst the NGOs/CSR activities and facilitating Public Private Partnerships in social sector with the State Government

The budgetary and administrative support to A.P. Bhavan shall be provided by the Planning Department to enable the Division to carry out its activities.

The Special Commissioner, A.P. Bhavan, New Delhi shall report to the Chief Secretary through Special Chief Secretary (Planning) to Government.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Special Commissioner, AP Bhavan, New Delhi.

The Resident Commissioner, AP Bhavan, New Delhi.

P.S. to CM/CS/Spl. C.S. (Planning)

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